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Details Of Last Fight In Warsaw Ghetto Continue To Come

Detailed reports about the fighting between German forces and Jews in Warsaw during last April and May were published in the Polish underground paper, Polska (Poland) and Biuletyn Informacyjny (Information Bulletin), which have just reached Dr. Henryk Shaikes, executive chairman of New York of the International Committee for Cooperative Reconstruction, and former vice-president of the Central Cooperative Bank in Warsaw.

After the mass deportations from the Warsaw ghetto in the last quarter of 1942, according to reports, when about half a million Jews had been exterminated in the poisons gas chambers of the Treblinka concentration camp, the remaining 40,000 Jews, mostly workers in factories inside the ghetto producing for the German army, and the Polish underground movement created a United Council for Armed Action.

The council's leaders met several times and the Polish underground movement sent instructors to the ghetto. They, together with the former Jewish officers and soldiers of the Polish Army, formed the nucleus of the planned armed resistance and accumulated weapons, German helmets and uniforms.

On Hitler's birthday, April 20, the Nazi authorities of Warsaw ordered 5,000 Jews, mostly wives and children of the workers of the [illegible] to the railway [illegible] full of German soldiers passed through the gates into the ghetto. The streets were empty, but bullets and hand grenades were showered on the Germans.

The Nazis called upon the Warsaw garrison and the walls of the ghetto were surrounded. The besieged Jews opened fire from roofs and from over the walls. Several Nazi tanks rumbled through the streets and machine-gunned the houses, but new centers of resistance opened fire against the Germans, who then fired field guns from several parts of the town. The Jews retaliated by setting fire to the workshops and all factories making supplies for the Nazis were burned, as were the big furniture [illegible] and [illegible] the ghetto and a hand-to-hand fight started. For several days the fighting and the bombing of the ghetto continued. Nalewki, Nowolipie and Muranowski Places, important parts of the ghetto, were destroyed. The Nazis burned the synagogue in Tlomacke Street and cut the water pipes in some places, but the Jews had several water pumps installed in the yards of the houses.

The entire Holy Week passed in fighting. The Germans estimate that 5,000 persons took part in it. On April 29, while the battle was

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U.S. Alone Can Rescue Jews, Says Rogers

Representative Will Rogers Jr. of California declared on his return from England that any action toward rescuing the Jews still alive under Nazi domination in Europe would have to be initiated in the United States.

He went abroad seven weeks ago in behalf of the Emergency Committee to Save the Jewish People of Europe, to discuss the Jewish plight with British officials, and he returned convinced that Britain was too immersed in immediate war problems to attempt a satisfactory solution.

He said he found much sympathy for the Jews in England, among officials, members of Parliament and the "average" working man and fighter.

"But the initiative will have to be with us, as we are a little more removed from the war and can conduct the war and at the same time be humane," he declared.

While he was critical of Britain's failure to save the Jews by opening Palestine quotas he said he realized it was not fair "to criticize her too much."

He asserted that many of the 4,000,000 Jews under German control who are "still subject to rescue" could be brought out and that the Jews in Palestine were ready to make room for 500,000 refugees if a rescue can be effected. Other thousands can be sent elsewhere, even if only temporarily, he added.

Jews In Rumania May Get More Bread

The Rumanian Government has ordered Bucharest Jews born between April 1, 1925, and March 31, 1928, and also possessors of certificates of exemption from work who were born between April 1, 1908, and May 31, 1928, to report "in order to settle their position." Those who failed to attend were threatened with punishment.

Further decrees order all Rumanian Jews born in 1891 and 1892 to register for labour service, while another census is to be taken of Jewish craftsmen.

The sugar ration for September was fixed at 600 grammes per person, according to the Bucharest radio. On the special barred coupons issued to Jews of Rumanian origin only one hundred grammes of sugar could be obtained. It has, however, been stated in the press that it has been decided to allocate to Jews the same bread ration as to non-Jews. A Jew, however, will have to pay 10 lei more for his bread ration than a non-Jew (600 grammes - 1 lb. 5 oz.)

The necessity for some improvement in the financial condition of the Jews in Rumania, thousands of whom have already been rendered penniless, was emphasized by M. Ben Venisti, President of the Zionist Organization of Rumania, in the course of an interview with M. Radu Lecca, Minister for Jewish Affairs. The Zionist leader is reported to have discussed all aspects of the treatment of Rumanian Jewry and to have insisted that the Jews be granted certain civic and economic rights, says the London Jewish Chronicle. He points out that the financial situation of the Jewish population [illegible] especially [illegible]

Deportations of Rumanian Jews to Transnistria continue. Many Jews were recently sent to Transnistria from Harlau and other towns in Moldavia.

Personal Foe Of Hitler Dies In New York

Dr. Kurt Rosenfeld, former member of the German Reichstag and president of the anti-Nazi German American Emergency Conference, died at his home, 39-34 Forty-fifth Street, Sunnyside, Queens, New York. He was sixty-six years old.

Dr. Rosenfeld, a leading member of the Socialist party in Germany in the early 1930's and a member of the Reichstag from 1919 to 1933, fled Germany after Hitler came into power. He was said to have aroused Hitler's personal enmity not alone because of his political beliefs but because Dr. Rosenfeld's sharp questioning of the Nazi chief during a libel suit trial in 1932 caused Hitler to lose his notoriously unsteady control of himself, resulting in a fine for unruly behavior in the courtroom.

Dr. Rosenfeld acquired an international reputation as the defense lawyer in the trials in Germany of Rosa Luxemburg, German Communist, who was convicted of inciting German soldiers to insubordination in 1914, and Kurt Eisner, who was convicted of treason in 1918. Rosa Luxemburg, one of the editors of "The Red Banner," a Communist newspaper, was killed by German Army officers while on her way to prison in 1919. Eisner, who became president of the Revolutionary and Socialist government established in Bavaria after the World War, was shot and killed on his way to the Bavarian Assembly in 1919.

Educated at the Universities of Freiburg and Berlin, Dr. Rosenfeld was Municipal Councillor in Berlin from 1910 to 1920 and Prussian Minister of Justice in 1918 and 1919.

The courtroom scene between Dr. Rosenfeld and Hitler occurred in 1932 during trial of a libel suit brought by Hitler against Werner Abel, a journalist, who had charged that the Nazi leader obtained 2,500,000 lire ($131,500) from Italy

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Funds Raised In Palestine For Rescue Work

Palestine Jewry is trying to raise £250,000 between now and the Day of Atonement, for rescue, as far as it is possible, of Jews in enemy-dominated Europe. This sum is in addition to 40,000 Palestine pounds raised regularly every month by the Jewish War Needs Fund.

The decision to take this step was made at a special session of the Jewish elected assembly at which chairmen and members of local councils and representatives of various parties and community organizations heard descriptions of the tragic plight of their brethren in less fortunate lands.

The period in which collections are to be made was proclaimed as "Diaspora Month." Hope was expressed that Jewry in the United States and Great Britain would follow Palestine's example in offering help to remnants of the Jewish communities scattered over the continent whose residents have been harried, tortured and put to death by tens of thousands in conformity with Nazi policy. It was suggested that the price of indifference to the predicament of these wretched folk might well be their total extermination.

Opening the proceedings, Isaac Ben-Zvi, chairman of Vaad Leumi, national council of the Palestine Jews, who in a recent sojourn in Turkey had "an opportunity to look at European Jewry through a casement window," depicted the agony of the Jewish people, particularly in the Balkans. According to him only 300,000 Jews survived of Rumania's pre-war 800,000 and 70,000 of these have been deported.

[illegible] were left alive. Some of these were now fighting alongside guerrillas. All Jews had been expelled from Sofia. In Salonika only 20 per cent had survived "liquidation." In Germany and Poland the process of annihilation of the Jewish people continued unabated.

Belief that despite the ferocity of the anti-Semitism practiced generally in Europe today, some opportunities of relieving the tragedy existed was put forward by Moshe Sherlok, head of the Jewish Agency's political department, who spoke of "islands of comparative security," which, according to him, were still to be found here and there.

Contacts had already been established with twelve countries Mr. Sherlok said, and unflagging efforts continued to be made to-

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Nazis Plan To Sterilize Half-Jews

An editorial in a recent issue of Die Wehrmacht is quoted by the Swedish newspaper, Svenska Dagbladet, in a review of the position of the German Mischlinge (people with one Jewish parent). These unfortunates were not included in the recent regulations concerning German nationals, and they were placed in the same category as Jews in Poland, thus rendering their property liable to confiscation.

The Minister for Radical Policy demanded more comprehensive measures, which took the form of secret "directives" to the National-Socialist Party authorities. One form of persecution which was used to declare many business enterprises as model works, thus automatically excluding all Mischlinge. This policy, however, met with strong opposition from the army. During the first half of 1942 the army was assured that the whole question would be held in abeyance until after the war, but these promises have been circumvented by the new directives.

Mischlinge will not be admitted to the higher schools, and local action may be taken to prevent marriages between racial Germans and Mischlinge, or later compulsory measures will be used in order to dissolve the existing marriages. A particularly significant method is to force Mischlinge

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Deportees From Belgium Fight Nazi Brutality

Gruesome details of atrocities committed by the Germans against Jews whom they were deporting from Belgium have been received by the Belgian Government in London.

One night last April 1,500 Jews were being transported from Malines to Poland in cattle trucks. During the journey the train was held up by armed Belgian partisans who, after a fight, broke open the locked doors of the trucks, distributed money among the deportees, and aided about six hundred of them to escape.

The Germans turned machine-guns on the fugitives. Twenty Jews were killed, about forty wounded, and thirty recaptured. Two hundred made their way back to Brussels where they were hidden by patriots. The wounded were carried to hospitals in Hasselt and St. Trond.

Many Jews were killed or wounded when attempting to escape from another transport carrying Belgian and French Jews of all ages from Malines to Tirlemont. While the train was in motion deportees flung themselves on to the banks by the railway line. German soldiers and members of the Flemish Volunteer Units who guarded the transport immediately opened fire and sounded the alarm, but the driver did not stop. An eye-witness saw a German soldier

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Labor Wants U.S. Help For Jews

[illegible] to the American Government to aid the Jews of Nazi-held Europe and to warn the Nazis that punishment will be visited on those guilty of helping to exterminate Europe's Jews was presented to Secretary of State Hull.

The appeal was in the form of a joint letter signed by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor; Philip Murray, president Congress of Industrial Organizations; David Dubinsky, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, and Adolph Held, chairman of the Jewish Labor Committee.

The appeal, in part, said:

"Free American labor, which feels a kinship with the victims of Nazi terror, has been horror-stricken by the slaughter being carried on against the Jews.

"We, therefore, take this occasion to urge the Government of the United States to warn—through short-wave radio and all other available means of communication—all those guilty of aiding the Nazi leaders in their inhuman campaign of exterminating the defenseless Jewish population of Europe, that they will be held accountable as war criminals, and will be punished for every innocent life they have taken."

The appeal said further:

"At the same time, we appeal

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J.D.C. Relief Aide Goes To North Africa To Expand Program

Max S. Perlman, former New York City relief supervisor, will leave shortly to engage in relief and rehabilitation activities for native Jews and refugees in North Africa and Europe, it was announced in New York by the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, major American agency for aid to Jews overseas. Mr. Perlman's immediate destination is Lisbon, where the European headquarters of the Joint Distribution Committee are located. From Lisbon he will proceed to Algiers, to join Dr. Joseph J. Schwartz, European Director of the Committee; Kurt Peiser, noted Philadelphia social worker; and Donald Hurwitz, former New Haven Jewish Welfare Fund executive, who have for several months been working closely with former Governor Herbert H. Lehman's Office of Foreign Relief and Rehabilitation Operations, to bring emergency assistance to the Axis-ravaged Jewish communities of North Africa.

Mr. Perlman will participate in the development of a long-range program of reconstruction to establish the Jewish communities of Tunisia, which were stripped of all their possessions by the Nazis and to assist in the repatriation of large numbers of refugees from the battle areas of Tunisia and Tripolitania. Later developments may take him to Italy, the Middle East as the Joint Distribution Committee's relief [illegible] plans expand in scope.

Mr. Perlman [illegible] Wisconsin [illegible] having studied in sociology and psychology. He did his graduate work at the University of Chicago School of Social Service Administration and for several years was case worker in the Jewish Social Service Bureau of Chicago and in 1933 was District Supervisor for the Cook County Bureau of Public Welfare. He moved to New York City in 1934 and was until 1937 a supervisor on the staff of the New York City Emergency Relief Bureau. For the last five years he was employed by the family of the late Julius Rosenwald of Chicago, in charge of their personal philanthropic activities in the refugee field.

In announcing Mr. Perlman's overseas assignment, Joseph C. Hyman, Executive Vice-Chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee, disclosed that a Jewish Central Relief Committee has been set up in Tunisia as the first step in a program of rehabilitation there and that the Joint Distribution Committee had made an emergency grant of 4,250,000 francs to this committee. He also said that Dr. Schwartz, who had been on a relief mission to Jerusalem, Istanbul and Cairo to develop a food parcel service for refugees in Soviet Asia and to arrange for the transportation of 5,000 children

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Social Notes—Montreal

Mrs. Joseph Zwibel, Cote St. Luc Road, is back after a two-week trip to New York.

Cpl. Jack Soroka and Mrs. Soroka, and baby son, Lewis Arthur, of Ottawa, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Soroka's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Solomon, Brillon Street.

Miss Susan Shure, Queen Mary Road, is spending a few days with relatives in Ottawa.

Mrs. Louis Bernstein, of Kingston, Ont., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Irving I. Selig, Brodeur Avenue.

Mrs. Sabina L. Vineberg and Miss Esther Vineberg, Bard Avenue, Outremont, are spending the holidays at the Chez A. Maurice, in Ste. Agathe.

M. Echenberg, of Sherbrooke, celebrated his eightieth birthday with Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Usher, and family; Mrs. Harry Levenson and family; Col. S. Echenberg, Mrs. Max Cohen, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Vineberg, all of Montreal, present.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Adilman and daughter, Miss Mona Adilman, and son, Lester, Notre Dame de Grace Avenue, are spending the holidays in the Laurentians.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Segall, Ponsard Avenue, were at home in honor of the golden wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fischel Segall.

Mrs. A. George Goldberg and daughter, Ellen Karin, of Brighton, Mass., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irving I. Selig, Brodeur Avenue.

Mrs. S. E. Goldman, Lacombe Avenue, is in New York, visiting her father, Samuel Landau.

Pte. and Mrs. M. Rosentzveig, of Halifax, are spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. I. Ornstein, Decarie Boulevard, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myer Rosentzveig, St. Joseph Boulevard West.

A.C. 1 Morton Schliefer and Mrs. Schliefer, of Arnprior, Ont., are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Aber, Vendome Avenue.

Mrs. J. Roston, Queen Mary Road, spent a few days in Ottawa.

Mrs. H. Levine, Queen Mary Road, has returned from Toronto, where she was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. William Breslin.

Mrs. Philip Berger, of Toronto, who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Elman, at their summer home at Lac Roy, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Calay and family, Marcil Avenue, are spending the holidays at Lac Brule.

Mrs. L. Naby, of Chicago, visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Isserman, Decarie Boulevard.

Mrs. Jacob Slatkoff, formerly Miss Belle Zwibel, of New York, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morantz, Cote St. Luc Road, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack L. Golden, Belcell Avenue, stopped at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Shragie, Outremont Avenue, have returned from New York and Philadelphia, where they spent two weeks visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Brodie and daughter, Sylvia, Hartland Avenue, are spending the holidays in Ste. Agathe.

Mrs. L. Perlman, Park Avenue, has returned from a trip to Vancouver, B.C.

BIRTHS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. I. Potashner (nee Sophie Berman, formerly of Montreal), of Victoriaville, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 20, a daughter. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Potashner, Durocher Street; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Berman, St. Urbain Street.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Judah Wiener (nee Sylvia Gelgoot), Willowdale Avenue, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 18, a son. Grandparents are Mrs. A. Gelgoot, Stuart Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. L. Wiener, Querbes Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Swartz (nee Bessie Lackman), Laval Avenue, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 12, a son. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. Lackman, Drolet Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fox (nee Sylvia Vinebaum), Deacon Road, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 9, a daughter, Caroline. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. Vinebaum, Deacon Rd., and Mr. and Mrs. A. Fox, of London, England.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Steinberg (nee Martha Zelniker), McNider Avenue, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 21, a son, grandson of Mrs. E. Zelniker, Lajoie Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Goldfarb (nee Nettie Potash), de l'Epee Avenue, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 25, a daughter, sister of Leonie; grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Max Goldfarb, Durocher Street; and Samuel Potash, Wiseman Avenue, and the late Mrs. B. Potash.

Born, to Private H. Litwin, R.C.A.M.C., and Mrs. Litwin (nee Helen Glickman), at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 4, a daughter, Sandra. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. Litwin, Maplewood Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Glickman, Marcil Avenue.

Born, to Private Barnes Brodsky, M.P., U.S. Army, Texas, and Mrs. Brodsky (nee Sadie Ikeman), Pine Avenue, at the Woman's General Hospital, on September 13, a daughter, Arlene Harriet. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. Ikeman, Pine Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Brodsky, of Brooklyn, N.Y.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Barney Cohen (nee Sara Lenetsky), Hutchison Street, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 20, a daughter, Judith, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lenetsky, of Joliette; and Mrs. S. Cohen, of Montreal; and the late Jack Cohen.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Vilinsky (nee Sara Sacks), St. Urbain Street, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 20, a daughter, Paula Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Saul Sacks, Clark Street; Mr. and Mrs. Max Vilinsky, Lajoie Avenue.

Born, to Lance-Corporal and Mrs. Moe Gold (nee Millie Sheldon, of London, England) in London, England, on September 19, a son, Peter Melvin. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. Sheldon, of London, England; and Mr. and Mrs. S. Gold, Esplanade Avenue.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Greenspon (nee Mathilda Besner), Davaar Avenue, at the Royal Victoria Maternity Hospital, on September 22, a son. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenspoon, St. Urbain Street, and K. Besner, St. Urbain Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kramer (nee Rose Delitsky), Jeanne Mance Street, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 23, a son, brother of Ethel. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Israel Kramer, St. Urbain Street; and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Delitsky, Querbes Avenue.

Born, to Trooper and Mrs. Alfred Mendelsohn (nee Molly Goldstein), 4008 Laval Avenue, a son, at the Jewish General Hospital, on September 16. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Goldstein, 4008 Laval Avenue; and Mr. and Mrs. H. Mendelsohn, 5339 St. Urbain Street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Shubin (nee Leona Davidovitz), Maplewood Avenue, at the Woman's General Hospital, on September 18 a son, Paul David. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Davidovitz, of Hamilton, Ont.; and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Shubin, of Toronto, Ont.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Reich and son, Edward, Belvedere Road, are spending some time in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Simak and daughters, Estelle and Sybill, Bougainville Avenue, spent several days in Montreal.

Mrs. J. T. Bigman, Fraser Street, spent several days in Montreal the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralph, Davaar Avenue.

Mrs. A. Friedlander, of Montreal, is spending sometime here.

Mrs. R. Rubin, of Montreal, has returned home after spending several days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. Bigman, Belvedere Road.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bigman, Belvedere Road, spent a few days in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Pedvis and children, Lorraine and Berel, spent a few days in Montreal.

A luncheon at the Chateau Frontenac, auspices of Hadassah Chapter, was addressed by Miss Rachel Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fitch, of Montreal spent several days at the Chateau Frontenac.

Miss Sybil Lax has returned to New York after spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lax, St. Cyrille Street.

Mrs. A. Shapiro, Avenue des Braves, spent several days in Montreal.

Mrs. E. Gillman, Lemaurier Street, spent several days in Montreal.

LABOR WANTS U.S. HELP FOR JEWS

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to the Government of the U.S. to do all that is humanly possible, and consistent with our successful prosecution of the war, to bring immediate aid and succor to the Jews in the Nazi occupied countries. The Jews in the ghettos can no longer be regarded as pawns. They are prisoners of [illegible]. Ways and means must be found ... feed the hungry men, women and children who are doomed to a death of starvation.

"We also appeal to our Government and to the Governments of the United Nations, to admit to all territories under their control Jewish refugees who may succeed in escaping from the Nazi hell. Now is the time to salvage those Jewish people who are still alive and who can still be saved."

Members of the delegation said that Hull received them warmly and expressed deep sympathy for their efforts on behalf of Europe's Jews.

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NAZIS PLAN TO STERILIZE HALF-JEWS

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wear the Star of David and to exclude them from all "leading positions." They may be declared unworthy to bear arms which entails dire consequences. No consideration will be given to former war merit.

The intention is apparently to prepare for their deportation to Poland. Particularly revolting details are now available, according to which definite plans exist for sending all men of military age to Poland while younger men will be sterilized. These measures will probably be carried out in the form of punishment for "crimes."

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Mrs. J. Buckshon, formerly Miss Ada Perlman, and daughter, Eileen, of Vancouver, B.C., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Josephson, Stuart Avenue.

Miss Fannie Scheffer, Querbes Avenue, is visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rose, in New York, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Kugelmass, Esplanade Avenue, have as their guest Phillip Miller, of Brooklyn, N.Y., who was a guest at the Fleming-Kugelmass wedding and is here for the Nadler-Hersovitch wedding.

Mrs. M. Lash, of Ottawa, is visiting her parents-in-law, and sister, Mrs. Max I. Brodie, Hartland Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Udashkin, Villeneuve Street West, entertained seventy guests at a supper party in honor of their only son, Gerald, who was bar-mitzvah.

Mrs. I. Rosenbloom and daughters, Rae and Birdie, have returned from their home in Trout Lake, where they spent their summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Gurofsky, of Toronto, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Al. Aronovitch, 145 Laurier Avenue West.

Mrs. Max Epstein, Dollard Avenue, returned by clipper from Newfoundland, where she spent the past five months with her husband, W.O. 2 Max Epstein, R.C.A.F.

Joseph Mendelsohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mendelsohn, St. Urbain Street, was called to the Reading of the Law at the Avash Sholem Synagogue. About a hundred people were present at the reception, among them Mr. and Mrs. George Mendelsohn and their children, Paul and Harvey, of Ottawa.

Mrs. J. Morris, Rachel Street East, has returned from a vacation in New York.

Miss Shirley Rosen, of Brooklyn, N.Y., fiancee of Corporal Sol. Schoener, who is stationed with the American Army in India, and future niece of Mrs. I. Rosenbloom, Waverley Street, is visiting here.

Misses Lillian and Sylvia Abrams, St. Urbain Street, have left to spend the New Year holidays as the guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Picoult, of New York.

Mrs. L. Abramovitch, Northmount Avenue, entertained at a tea presentation, in honor of forthcoming marriage of her grandniece, Miss Rosalee Ruden. Mrs. S. Schecter, of San Francisco, Calif., aunt of the bride, poured the tea.

Mrs. Harry Fleming, formerly Miss Ettye Kugelmass, was entertained by Mia Eva Naimovitch at theatre and dinner presentation; Mesdames A. Fleming and A. Belinsky, and Misses Shirley and Jeanne Fleming, tea presentation; Miss Pearl Kugelmass, tea presentation; Mesdames A. Harris, Samuel Greene, Louis Kling, and Misses Eva Crystal and Leah Gelman, luncheon presentation at El Morocco; Mesdames Max Weiser and Lewis Coop, dinner, theatre, and presentation; Mr. and Mrs. Abe Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Belinsky, dinner presentation at El Morocco.

Dr. and Mrs. David Tannenbaum, Sherbrooke Street West, have returned from Brookline, Mass, where they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Brotman.

Mrs. Emanuel Goldstein, of Holyoke, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Adilman, 5010 Sherbrooke Street West.

Mrs. Allan Bronfman, Belvedere Road, has returned from a few days' visit to Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garbe, Victoria Avenue, have returned from Toronto, Ont.

Mrs. M. Margolick, Prince Albert Avenue, is taking up residence on Western Avenue.

Miss Suzann F. Cohen, Cote des Neiges Road, entertained at an evening in honor of her guest, Miss Levonah Cohen, of Toronto, who has returned home. Others present were Pte. Joseph Berman, R.C.A.M.C., and Mrs. Berman; Misses Ethel Waterman and Mirjam Staal; Pte. William Goodman, R.C.A.M.C., Wilfred Shuchat, of New York, Erwin Steinhardt, and M. Saxenburg.

Entertaining for Miss Levonah Cohen, of Toronto, who spent a week with Miss Suzann F. Cohen, Cote des Neiges Road, were: Miss Sheila Sapera, Sherbrooke Street West, at luncheon; Miss Ethel Waterman, Davaar Avenue, tea; Mrs. Harold Neumann and Mrs. Abrasha Wigdor, luncheon; Misses Nadja Liverant, Ethel Waterman, Suzann F. Cohen, luncheon, at Eaton's; George W. Cohen, evening; Miss Suzann F. Cohen, two evenings; and Miss Lillian Brown, Marlowe Avenue.

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Stewed Veal Shoulder

Put into a saucepan meat in bulk, fat, salt, a few caraway seeds, small onion, cover and stew with a little water for one and one-half to two hours. Replenish water as often as necessary.

Jellied Fish

Cut white fish or carp in slices and sprinkle with salt. Cut up two big onions, two carrots, celery, and a piece of white parsley. Cook for fifteen minutes with a few grains of pepper and allspice. Then put in the fish and simmer over a low flame during one-half hour. Then put the fish into a deep glass dish, filter the clear gravy over the fish, and put it into an ice-box. Serve cold with lemon or small pickles.

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• MONTREAL MEETINGS •

• **HADASSAH** chapters meeting Monday, October 4, at 2.30, are: Adath Israel, at the home of Mrs. A. P. Abramovitch, 906 Wilder Avenue; Central, at the home of Mrs. A. Gordon, 5674 Dunmore Avenue; Kadimah, at the home of Mrs. A. I. Cohen, 3819 Girouard Avenue; Mount Scopus, at the home of Mrs. I. Blumer, 4139 Decarie Boulevard; Rachel Levinson, at Shaar Hashomayim synagogue, with Mrs. D. Levinson as hostess; Mrs. H. Singer, guest speaker; and entertainment by Mrs. Chaim M. Denberg; Shaare Zion, at Shaare Zion synagogue, Mrs. S. Gershon Levi, guest speaker; Young Ladies Zionist, at the home of Mrs. L. Liebman, 430 Mt. Stephen Avenue. Chapters meeting Monday, October 6, at 8.30 are: Esther Rachel Naverich, at the home of Mrs. A. Friedman, 5442 Hutchison Street; Miriam Brainin Ortenberg, at the home of Mrs. J. Rosenthal, 735 Devaar Avenue, with humorous readings by Mrs. L. Berman. Chapter meeting Tuesday afternoon, October 5, is: Emos Israel, at the home of Mrs. N. Shier, 5335 Park Avenue. Chapters meeting Tuesday, October 5, at 8.30, are: Bialik, at the home of Mrs. A. Moockley, 1640 Van Horne Avenue; Judith, at the home of Mrs. D. Myerson, 6355 Waverley Street, with Mrs. L. Miller as guest speaker. At a meeting of Esther Rachel Naverich chapter Mrs. Nathan Kravitsky, retiring president, was presented with a Golden Book certificate for her work.

• **SHAARE ZION** Men's Club and Sisterhood will sponsor a meeting, Tuesday, October 19, at 8.30 p.m., at the community hall, Mrs. Hilda Koch, known as "Elli", author of "Refugee", will be the guest speaker.

• At a reception held for Joseph Mendelsohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mendelsohn, St. Urbain Street, who was called to the Reading of the Law in Avash Sholem Synagogue, $35 was collected for the Federation of the Polish Jews in Canada.

• **METRO GIRLS CLUB** met at the home of Miss Ida Rudiack, 3788 de Bullion Street, with Mrs. Teddy Rudner, Misses Libby Kahane, Anne Flinker, Doris Lifschitz, Etta Workman, Adele Zuckerman, Rae Rosenbloom, present, also, Miss Shirley Rosen, of Brooklyn, N.Y. Fifty parcels have been sent overseas. Prospective members call Misses Marion Plotnick, EL. 6676; Ida Rudiack, LA. 1761; Rae Rosenbloom, CR. 8959.

• **HOSPITAL OF HOPE**, Sarah B. Stein Unit, at the home of the president, Mrs. S. Dalfen, heard J. R. Bogante, president of the Hospital, speak. Through the efforts of A. Stein, $50 was collected. Mrs. Bogante, acting chairman of the Council of the Units, spoke. Mordicha Baker Unit meets at the home of Mrs. J. Baker, 1511 Ducharme Avenue, at 8:30 p.m., October 5.

• **RED CROSS**, Jewish Branch, received $250 from the 1942 Victory Unit. Members: Mrs. S. Ballon, president; others, Mesdames A. Bernstein, S. Vengroff, Cohen, J. Goodlin, J. Axle, J. Berkovitch, A. Berlind, S. Baizer, Abe Cohen, J. Fishman, M. Garelick, E. Gotheil, I. Hochmitz, H. Levine, A. Pinsky, S. Rosen, B. Slapkoff, L. Taveroff, D. Serrott, Misses Dorothy Stonefeld, Fay Bernstein, Vicki Bernstein, Bruce and Roslyn Raginsky, 3665 Northcliffe Avenue, children of Mrs. A. O. Raginsky, sent in $7, raised at Petit Lac Long by the making of little birch canoes.

• **HEBREW CONSUMPTIVE** Aid Association presents Marcus M. Sperber, K.C., as guest speaker, on Wednesday evening, October 13, at 4465 St. Lawrence Boulevard, reporting on "The American Jewish Conference," which he attended as a representative of all the Bnai Brith Lodges in Canada. Musical program. Friends invited. Jack R. Bogante, president, will preside.

• **Y.W.H.A.** presents on Wednesday, October 27, at the Y.M.H.A. Alexander Brott and the McGill String Quartette in the next concert. Committee in charge of all arrangements: honorary chairman, Z. I. Diner; chairman, Mrs. Samuel Hart; Mesdames M. Dickstein, Bernard Illievitz, Nathan Mendelson, Pauline Donalds, Harry Singer, Philip Levy, Misses Rose Goldblatt, Frances Kellert, Anna Rosen, Faye Perminter, Toby Dobrinsky, Anne Rapkin, Gerda Weisaler; Y. M. representative, Al. Bernstein. For a few subscriptions still available call PL. 3944.

• **BETH DAVID** Sisterhood meeting, at the home of Mrs S. Rohrlick, 23 Joyce Avenue, is on October 5, at 8.30 p.m.

• **Y.M.I.** [illegible] appoint[illegible] sello[illegible] the[illegible] ...try Rose, newly-...diate club coun-...patrol leader of ...s; active in 'Y' ...of A.Z.A., sa-...dex; and was ...man of the ... of Jewish ...ded a con-ference in Mexico as a delegate and representative of Canadian Jewish Youth, [illegible] Junior League of Bnai Young Judea, Junior Had[illegible] National Council of Jewish ...ions, and the Youth Division o... Canadian Jewish Congress. Rose is twenty-three, a native ... Montreal, and a graduate of U... ed Talmud Torahs. He is the ... of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rose, ... de l'Epee Avenue.

• **BNAI BRITH GIRLS** Club Laude Chapter No. 40 tea at the home of their vice-president, Mrs. Harry Broodsky, 5486 Park Avenue, had present: Misses Toba Ashkenazy, Lita Klein, Lillian Kostiner, Hilda Finkelstein, Florence Bloom, Fagie Miller, Beatrice Morein, Esther Letovsky, Florence Basal, Nina Levenstone, Freda Tannenbaum, Mesdames Joseph Rother, Mac Wollach, Harry Broodney, Hy. Stern.

The Axis Governments are intensifying their persecution of the oppressed populations of Europe, according to the Inter-Allied Information Committee in London. At least 1,000,000 Jews have been killed in Poland; 80,000 have been deported from Czechoslovakia; the majority of Norway's small Jewish population has been sent to Poland.

Rejecting the compromise offered by the British Board of Jewish Deputies, which had proposed to give three places on its 18-member committee for foreign affairs to the Anglo-Jewish Association, the latter has appointed its own permanent foreign affairs committee.

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MARRIAGES

Fleming-Kugelmass

The marriage of Miss Edye Kugelmass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Kugelmass, 4061 Esplanade Avenue, to Harry Fleming, son of Mrs. Anna Fleming, 6025 Hutchison Street, took place at the home of Rev. M. Master, who officiated, on Saturday, September 18, at half past eight o'clock. The bride was given away by her parents. She wore an afternoon two-piece suit dress of pearl grey wool jersey, with a "V" neckline and inserts of fuchsia at the shoulders, three-quarter length sleeves, and a gored skirt. Her jewel-toned hat had a grey shoulder-length veil, and grey gloves and corsage of orchids completed her costume. The maid of honor, Miss Fanny Kugelmass, sister of the bride, wore a two-piece suit dress of Tea rose crepe, made with a round neckline, and long sleeves with braid trimming. Her coiffure arrangement was of pink roses and baby's breath. The best man was Abe Fleming, brother of the groom. The wedding march was played on the organ. The reception was held at the Rev. M. Master's home, where the table was decorated with a centrepiece of roses and gladioli. The bride's mother received in a navy blue crepe dress, with matching hat and a corsage of red roses; the groom's mother wearing a black velvet dress, trimmed with white, a matching hat, and a corsage of red roses. The couple left on their honeymoon, the bride travelling in a grey tailored suit with black accessories, and a coat in fuchsia color, with silver-fox collar. They will live in Sydney, N.S. Phillip Miller, of Brooklyn, N.Y., was among the wedding guests.

Shnider-Derstenfeld

The marriage of Miss Ruth Derstenfeld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Derstenfeld, 4572 St. Urbain Street, to Sgt. Joseph Shnider, United States Medical Corps, stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Shnider, 14 Livingstone Street, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., took place at Beth David Synagogue on Sunday, June 27, at seven o'clock. Rabbi S. Herschorn officiating, assisted by Rev. F. Schlepack. The bride was given away by her parents. She wore a floor-length gown of ivory satin and lace, made with a heartshaped neckline with pleated lace, long sleeves of lace coming to points at the wrists, tight-fitting bodice, and a full skirt ending in a sweeping train seven yards long. From a tiara of pearls and lace fell her seven-yard-long veil of net and lace, and she carried a bible covered with a long sheath of gladioli. The maid of honor was Miss Sylvia Derstenfeld, sister of the bride, and the matron of honor, Mrs. Louis Hubscher, cousin of the bride. The former wore a floor-length gown of baby pink chiffon, fashioned with tight bodice, and a full skirt, and matching headdress and shoulder-length veil. She carried roses and sweetpeas. The matron of honor wore a long gown of white, trimmed with gold, and a small bolero. Her headdress was of orchids and an orchid colored shoulder-length veil, and she carried Talisman roses and Irises. The bridesmaids were Misses Erma Leiderman, cousin of the bride, and Miss Rita Shnider, sister of the groom. The former wore a floor-length gown of blue chiffon, with matching bolero. The latter was in a floor-length gown of blue, made with tight bodice and a full skirt. Both had matching headdresses of blue and shoulder-length veils, and carried pink roses. The flower girl was Sheila Hubscher, who wore a short dress of red-dotted white organdy, a wide organdy sash, with a matching red poke bonnet tied with a red bow under her chin. She carried a basket of red petals. The best man was Master-Sergeant Irwin Finn, United States Army. Ushers were Alfred Licter and Israel Garber, both of Dorchester, Mass., who walked down the aisle with the bridesmaids and stood under the canopy. On each side of the aisle were eight ushers in uniform: Staff-Sergeant Vincent Comerford, Staff-Sergeant Raymond Ritchie, Sergeants Hank Greenberg, Philip Katz and Allen Miditch, and Cpl. James Grace, all of the United States Army Medical Corps, and Sgt. Saul Goldwarg, C.D.C., and Gnr. Mendy Stavisa, R.C.A. The page boy, Paul Hubscher, was ring-bearer. The synagogue was decorated with assorted flowers, including large baskets of roses, ferns, and streamers. The wedding music was played on the organ and "Because" was sung during the ceremony. The dinner reception was held at the community hall, where white carnations, roses, and assorted sweetpeas decorated the table. The bride's mother received in a gown of turquoise lace and silk crepe, with a fitted bodice and full skirt, a matching headdress, and a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother wore a floor-length gown of deep blue with gold jewelry, blue hat to match, and a corsage of pink carnations. The honeymoon was spent in New York for one week and for the second week in Boston where a reception was given by the groom's parents. About two hundred guests were present. The bride wore for travelling an air force blue gabardine two-piece suit, trimmed with white accessories. At present the couple are living at Burlington, Vt., where the groom is stationed, but later will live in Dorchester, Mass. Out-of-town wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. Morris [illegible]-Sergeant Irwin Charam, Mrs. Bernstein, Mr. Boston, Mass. Max Shnid[illegible]

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Mr. and Mrs. Max Handman, 615 Champagneur Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah, to Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Pervin, Elm Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bordensky, 4527 Park Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Tilly, to Frank, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Aronovitch, 4901 Hutchison Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Sklar, of Far Rockaway, N.Y., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Roslyn, to Arthur A. Firestone, of Binghamton, N.Y., only son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Firestone, 3615 Prud'homme Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Segal, 733A Bloomfield Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sara, to Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Saffron, of Springhill, N.S., the wedding to take place on January 18.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Derstenfeld, 4572 St. Urbain Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Sylvia, to Gunner Mendy Staviss, R.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Staviss, Colonial Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Shaffran, 4237 Esplanade Avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Freda, to Charles Alper, son of Jacob Alper, Clark Street, and the late Mrs. Alper, the wedding to take place some time in December.

The engagement of Miss Lisi Klopfer, daughter of Mrs. B. Klopfer, 4030 Vendome Avenue, and the late M. Klopfer, to Hanne Zadek, son of Mrs. G. Zadek and the late G. Zadek, of Stettin, Germany, is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rabinowitz, Hutchison Street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Zelda, to Charles Blitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Blitz, of New York.

DEATHS

Leah Magid, aged ninety-nine, died at her home, on September 22. She is survived by her husband, Joseph Magid; one daughter, Mrs. E. Rosen; one son, Meilach; four grandchildren, Abe Rosen, Rose and Miriam Magid, Mrs. M. Rabinovitch; and one great grandshild, Joshua Rabinovitch. Funeral service was held from Paperman and Sons on Thursday, September 23. Burial took place at Chevra Chass Cemetery, Rabbi E. Hazan officiating. Shiva at the home 4417 St. Urbain Street.

Lazar Trachtenberg died on September 23, at his home, 280 Querbes Avenue. He is survived by his wife, Mary Benjamin; one son, Sydney; and one daughter, Ruth. Funeral services were held from the home, on Friday, September 24. Burial took place at Beth David Cemetery, Rabbi S. Herschorn officiating. Shiva at home.

Pzina Mandlecorn was found dead after disappearing on August 20, at Val Morin. She is survived by her husband, Samuel Mandlecorn; one son, Ruby Morowitz; one daughter, Mrs. W. Cohen; eight grandchildren, Mrs. Henry Chinks, Bessie and Avrum Morowitz, Meyer, Samuel, Saul, Eli and Ruth Cohen; and one great-grandchild, Havelia Chinks. Funeral service was held from Paperman and Sons on Monday, September 20. Burial took place at Chevra Shass Cemetery, in Cartierville, Rabbi M. Wachtfogel officiating. Shiva at 5847 Park Avenue.

Mrs. Doba Shiller, widow of the late Benjamin Shiller, died on Saturday, September 25, at the Jewish General Hospital. She is survived by five sons, Hyman, Chaskell, Robert, Alex, and Irving; ten grandchildren, and one brother, M. Solin, of Montreal; two sisters, Mrs. L. Sorin, of New York, and Mrs. I. Shewach, of Detroit. Funeral service was held from Paperman and Sons on Sunday, September 26. Burial took place at Bnai Jacob Cemetery. Rabbis Charles Bender and M. Wachtfogel officiating. Shiva was observed until Wednesday morning at the home, 1460 Van Horne Avenue.

UNVEILINGS

The unveiling of the tombstone to the late Mrs. Leah (Yancovitch) Gross will take place on Sunday, October 3, at 11 a.m., at the Hebrew Protective Association Cemetery in Cartierville.

J./Cpl. Saul Schecter, Black Watch Reserve, is the son of Mrs. R. Schecter, 1822 Park Avenue, Montreal, and the late Mr. Schecter.

—Ore, Charlab

Arnold A. Bier, aged two, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bier, 861 Stuart Avenue, Montreal; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Yanofsky, 704 McEachran Avenue; and of the late Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Bier, of Montreal.

—Poem

Yanofsky, Colonial Avenue.

Claire Yanofsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Yanofsky, 704 McEachran Avenue, Montreal, and granddaughter of Mrs. Peter Yanofsky, Colonial Avenue.

—Poem

Lawrence Sheldon Bloomberg, aged sixteen months, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Bloomberg, 5790 Darlington Avenue, Montreal; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. Bloomberg, 780 de l'Epee Avenue; and of Mr. and Mrs. L. Dorne, 5459 Jeanne Mance Street.

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Refugee immigration to the U. S. during the last ten years increased the population of this country by less than two-tenths of one per cent, according to Edward J. Ennis, Director of the Alien Enemy Control Unit of the Department of Justice. Among the 260,000 arrivals the Department of Justice found only a scant handful whom it was necessary to detain as dangerous or potentially dangerous to the war effort.

"Kol Israel," a new Hebrew daily — the seventh — will soon appear in Palestine. It will be the mouthpiece of the Agudath Israel.

The Jewish People's Library Has Passed Its Pioneer Days

By Maurice Hartt, K.C., M.L.A., Of Montreal

Every city has some modest little sanctuary, where people having a common interest, congregate to hear and to give expression to such questions as interest them. In a large city such as ours, it is difficult for all its inhabitants to either congregate in one place, or to know of all the institutions, large or small, even if they should wish to avail themselves of its benefits. It was decided, therefore, by the officers of the Jewish People's library to bring to the attention of Montrealers the existence and some of the activities of this Institution, and to invite all those who wish to visit and take advantage of the many benefits the Jewish People's Library has to offer.

The organization and establishment of the Jewish People's Library reads like a fairy tale, or romance of the pioneer-frontier days. Some thirty years ago, when Jewish immigration into Canada was at its height, and these newcomers did not know exactly the land they were coming to, each brought along his favorite book or books as part baggage, in the hope of reading and re-reading his favorite [illegible] in moments of leisure or sheer necessity. These immigrants desired an exchange of books, and seeing that the publications were rare and their means limited, decided to form a central clearing house, whereby this exchange of books could be carried out systematically and effectively, and proceeded to rent a room and there deposit their books under common ownership. Under such circumstances, it was not difficult for the Jewish newcomers to Montreal to fill the first few shelves with books, and this is how the Montreal Jewish Public Library of today was born.

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The Library, after this modest start, and compelled by circumstances, moved from place to place, adding to their numbers as they went along. Finally, by great effort, tenacity, small contributions, and courage, they succeeded in purchasing their own building and became established at their present quarters at 4099 Esplanade Avenue, a few doors above Duluth Avenue, facing Fletcher's Field. This represents the crossroad between east and west, and is in the heart of the settled Jewish Community.

The Library has over 20,000 books, which are read by some 1,200 subscribed regular readers. In addition to these volumes, the Library has a variety of newspapers, journals, magazines and periodicals in every language, sufficiently big to engage the attention of the most avaricious reader who interests himself in current events. The Library is visited by hundreds of readers on its premises, consulting any of these volumes or publications as well as having reference and text books. Some of the volumes are also loaned out to subscribers in the form of a circulating library.

By way of social work, books and periodicals are supplied on request to hospitals, old people's homes, and other institutions. The Jewish Hospital of Hope uses our books exclusively, and this service is considered as one of our outstanding contributions to the helpless.

Having accomplished that much, the directing forces of the Library found that a great number of these immigrants, who were too young when they left their country of origin to complete their education, were left stranded. There were also adults who desired to acquaint themselves with the language, habits and customs of their land of adoption, and found no adequate means to do so.

The officers and directors decided to innovate evening classes for these two categories, and so introduced the "People's University." The curriculum is such that would arouse the envy of any well organized educational institution. In the People's University, evening classes are conducted by professional and lay lecturers, relating to all subjects that interest a sufficient number to form a class. The University itself carries on with a syllabus appertaining to purely Jewish subjects, consisting of history, literature, poetry, drama, theology, customs, ethics and philosophy. This particular branch is attended by some two hundred students. Instructions in these courses are carried on in the Yiddish and English languages. They also teach English grammar, English literature, and the histories of England and Canada.

In the last few years, there has developed a trend and a desire in the Jewish community to learn more about their immediate neighbors, the French people. Consequently, two classes were introduced for teaching the French language from grammar to rhetoric, the history of Canada, the history of French literature, drama and poetry.

An outstanding feature is the music appreciation class, where dozens of music lovers supplement their emotional appreciation of music, with explanation on the history and art of music.

A special and outstanding service of the Jewish People's Library is the accommodation of several private rooms for high school and university students, to study in privacy with a sufficient supply of reference books. The home environment of some of these students is not conducive to study and concentrated attention, and those who have not handy the necessary reference and text books find this special accommodation in the Library a real salvation. Many successful men in our community did their preparatory work in these humble rooms. This part of the activities is one in which the officers and directors take great pride.

The Jewish People's Library has now passed its pioneer days, and has become an Institution without which the community could not exist. It has become the centre of the Jewish cultural life in Montreal. It is the depository of every book which relates to the past and the present of the Jewish people. These thousands upon thousands of books have become a daily necessity for our citizenry, young and old, [illegible] haven and seek intellectual [illegible]

The [illegible] usand volumes comprise [illegible] the ancient and modern [illegible]. Most of these volumes a[illegible] the Hebrew, Yiddish, Frenc[illegible]erman, and Slavic languages. Th[illegible]e volumes treat of every subject conceivable, and are divided into sections.

First of all is the Bible, written in Hebrew, with translations in every language suitable to our subscribers. Another section is that of the Talmud. It is perhaps the first encyclopedia computed by man since the early stages of his history, when man learnt to write. For thousands of years, the Talmud has been an object of profound interest, and that interest is not exhausted. Scholars and laymen study it with as much zest today as they did in the olden times. We have the Talmud in several languages, and in addition and adjoining this section are several commentaries and criticisms on the Talmud. Some of these commentaries date back hundreds of years.

Another section of the Library contains several treatises on the subject of Hebraic and Jewish mysticism, which had its roots in the Middle Ages, and is known by the word "Kaboala." This subject is as inexplorable as mysticism itself, and dozens of bewildered scholars pour over its books in the hope of unshrouding at least some of its threads. The Library is also graced with a number of editions of encyclopedias written in English, Hebrew, Russian and German, as well as lexicons. Alongside, there is volume upon volume of the history of literature, and volumes of authors beginning with Hebrew, Greek, Yiddish and every language spoken or written by civilized man. Several editions of exclusive Jewish history alongside the volumes of universal history also occupy an important part of the Library, and are read by those

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WRITING NEW PAGES
IN THE BOOK OF HISTORY OF
La Province de Québec

We're welcoming new travellers from every Province in Canada, today. Uniformed wartime travellers, in khaki, navy and air force blue . . . passing through La Province de Québec . . . or being posted here . . . training with our own boys in the services who will fight side by side with them.

Many of them are seeing this part of the country for the first time, discovering that in La Province de Québec the work of war is of first importance everywhere. Mines in the Province are producing strategic war minerals . . . forests are providing wood for pulp and paper, for shipbuilding and construction . . . factories are producing guns and tanks . . . while Shipshaw, in the north, provides pulsing electricity for aluminum used for planes. At home our war workers are backing the fighting forces with production.

Wartime has brought many changes. The French Canadians who fought so courageously at Dieppe are symbolic of the spirit of all our sons who are today serving Canada.

For those at home are busy launching ships and building planes, producing munitions and equipment in an ever-increasing stream. This peacetime playground is at war.

Naturally we should like to meet many other new faces from different provinces . . . but travel in wartime is difficult and restricted to essential needs. So to those outside La Province de Québec who must wait until after the war for a trip to this famous vacation-land, we say, "Your French Canadian vacation will be waiting for you when Victory is won."

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GREETINGS

To our friends, relatives and patrons

Mr. and Mrs. M. Alpiner and Family

18 Bellamy Avenue, Toronto

Lakeside Home, Jackson's Point

Greetings

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hundert

Chudleigh Manor,

150 Beverley Street at D'Arcy

BAR-MITZVAHS

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Kardish, 458 Richview Avenue, announce the bar-mitzvah of their son, Martin Stephen, to take place on October 16, at 11 a.m., at Holy Blossom Temple. Luncheon will follow at Chudleigh Manor. No cards are being sent out.

• TORONTO MEETINGS •

Mrs. J. Posen, 481 Shaw Street, gave a tea at her summer home at Lake Wilcox, at which the guest of honor was Mrs. Lipsa, Chairman of the Women's Division, Joint Palestine Appeal, Toronto. Assisting were Mrs. A. Feldgarden, Mrs. Louis Lesky.

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MARRIAGES

Winegradsky—Heisel

The marriage of Myrtle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Heisel, 935 Shaw Street, to Leading Aircraftsman Jack Winegradsky, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Winegradsky, 4321 City Hall Avenue, Montreal, Que., took place on September 19, at half past two o'clock, at Shaar Israel Synagogue, Rabbi David Monson and Cantor J. Lev officiating. Miss Bessie Podolsky sang "Because." The bride, given in marriage by her parents, wore a two-piece, street-length dress of sky blue wool crepe, tucked at the waist and bodice, and a strand of pearls. Her matching pompadour hat had a shoulder-length veil of [illegible] powder blue crepe with flowerheart roses and accessories. Miss Betty Heisel, sister of the bride, was maid of honour, wearing Kitty green rabbit hair vest, with matching hat, and carrying a Colonial bouquet. Miss Molly Stone, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid in royal blue, trimmed with navy blue, and navy hat, and carried a Colonial bouquet of roses. The junior bridesmaid was Barbara Cohen, in rose crepe, with matching bow in her hair, and a Colonial bouquet of roses. Harry Heisel, brother of the bride, acted as best man, and the ushers were Manuel Heisel and Norman Stone. At the synagogue, the bride's mother received in deep blue silk, trimmed with sequins and corsage of pink roses; the groom's mother wearing corded blue silk, with corsage of Talisman roses. The couple left on a wedding trip to Niagara Falls, and will live in Toronto. For travelling the bride wore a tan suit, with brown accessories. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Heisel, of Ottawa, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. D. Winegradsky, Mrs. B. Kushner, Mrs. L. Cohen and daughters, Barbara and Marilyn, of Montreal, Que.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Winnet, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. L. Stone and daughter, Shirley, of Hamilton, Ont.; and L. Phillips, of Wyandotte, Mich.

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The Free Italian radio has broadcast an appeal urging the Italian soldiers in occupied countries to render aid to the Jews under their jurisdiction and to protect Jewish property and interests.

The Day of Freedom is Already Dawning!

WE'RE ALL CANADIANS—every one of us—no matter where we were born or where our forefathers made their homes.

And now there is new hope within our breasts. Our fellow-Canadians—with our Allies—are driving home the attack—bringing Victory closer and closer. Liberation for the enslaved and tortured peoples of the world will come—perhaps sooner than we dare hope. Yes, the day of Freedom is already dawning.

We on the home front know that Freedom must be dearly bought. Those of us not in the armed services are merely asked to lend our dollars so that they may speed the day of Victory.

Soon the Victory Loan Salesman will call on us. Gladly do we welcome this further opportunity to buy a share in our Canada. There's no sacrifice in this for us—because these dollars will come back to us, with interest. And with these dollars, we can take advantage of many of the good things offered to us in the post-war world.

Yes, we'll find a way to buy just as many Victory Bonds as we did last time—and more.

Get Ready to Buy Victory Bonds

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[illegible] of the [illegible] in which some Jewish leaders, although [illegible] with the Zionist Congress, were given a share [illegible] in the military court, the proceedings showed that no provision [illegible] whatever had been [illegible], when they [illegible] in the future, none of them [illegible] any Jewish representative or Jewish organization.

J.D.C. SENDS AMBASSADORS TO NORTH AFRICA TO EXPAND PROGRAM

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[illegible] and [illegible] from the Balkans to Palestine [illegible] reconstruct the Military [illegible] effects of the [illegible]

When the recent Canadian Jewish Conference was being arranged the two seats in the preliminaries were the American Jewish Committee and the Jewish Labor Committee. At first the Conference was to be an Assembly but the American Jewish Committee would not join unless the name was changed. The Committee president, Judge M. Proskauer, who is not a direct lawyer for nothing, wrote a letter in which he condemned the use of the term "Assembly" as the creation of a "political machine" of American Jews.

The Committee was afraid that the Jews would be charged with forming a dispersalist political party in the United States. Having settled the Assembly thing, Judge Proskauer also demanded as a condition of joining the Conference that the Committee be permitted the right to withdraw if, at any time, it disagreed with a policy formulated by the majority. Jewish Affairs, what a beautiful headache you are! Here today, gone tomorrow.

While weeks of negotiation were required to effect the result that was supposed to spell American Jewish unity, attention was being centered on the American Jewish Committee and the Jewish Labor Committee, the stubborn, the coy, the aloof, the demanding old things, from the Conference point of view. But did any one worry about the dozen or so other organizations which were disqualified from representation? How about the International Workers' Order with over forty thousand workers?

[illegible] Conference would be fatally [illegible] without the American Jewish Committee, which represents the upper crust of Jewish element of wealth and position, would it not be [illegible] to claim to represent all American Jewry if it left out the workers who are also interested contributors to Jewish life and culture? They can be and often are included, but [illegible] and Congress have happened any doubt is really in Jewish authoritarian circles. When the Canadian government was able to have elected delegates representative of all opinions because it did not exclude a single faction.

Before the American Jewish Conference actually met, The New Palestine said in an editorial, issue of June 11,: "The only issue which will come before the American Jewish Conference will concern Palestine." Now that the Conference has been held, the adopting of the resolution in favor of a Jewish commonwealth in Palestine by forty hundred and eighty-eight votes to four is considered by some as the outstanding accomplishment of the Conference. To the extent that the Conference [illegible] in the face of [illegible] through the Zionist Committee of the Conference would in October and above three should substitute representations, at present writing only seven blocs have done this, among those still awaiting the decisions of their own respective governing bodies being the American Jewish Committee and the Jewish Labor Committee. What about? Will the American Jewish Committee go to the Conference just for the ride? It attended with the proviso that it would withdraw if it disagreed with the policy formulated by the majority. What kind of performance would be expected in such a situation? It did disagree; and there they go, at it again.

The condition for a Jewish state having carried, the anti-Zionists may feel that they have no place where they are. As my paper said, the American Jewish Conference was a spectacular show with its strings being pulled by Zionists. This fact was more likely to bolster whatever anti-Zionism there was then to ensure it in larger measure for the future. If the Zionists engineered the Conference in order to get the resolution on Palestine, they have what they wanted. But if they expected to silence that evil press and brotherhood, too, they either expected the impossible or pretended to. It is plain to say that what they wanted more than unity was the Palestine resolution, and on such a basis something may be achieved for the present but nothing much in the long run.

The holding of the American Jewish Conference has not changed anything fundamental for the better. For a gathering of the magnitude claimed for it, unofficial public discussion preceded it, although delegates had to be chosen, the whole thing seemed to be hurried through. It is difficult to deny a certain air of secrecy over the conference of many discussions of agenda.

The startled shirts and frilly dollies who talk so much about Jewish democracy and are still ostensibly at least [illegible] should ask why they were done the conference by quick mandate or authority of whatever it is they call it. Why [illegible] Why [illegible] Why [illegible]